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**From:** Otto, Martha  
**Sent:** Wed 7/26/2017 1:18:27 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Allegation #124 --draft desk statement for your review

Hi, Kevin,

I am reconciling Carol Ann's, your new comments, and the current version of the desk statement (which had evolved based on input from the ORD Communications Team) and will send a revision shortly.

Thanks,

Marti

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 26, 2017 7:21 AM  
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**Subject:** Fw: Allegation #124 --draft desk statement for your review

Marti:

My comments on Carol Ann's. Please review, and if you think they're okay, please run by Tom. Thanks.

Kevin

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**Cc:** Grifo, Francesca; Sinks, Tom

**Subject:** RE: Allegation #124 --draft desk statement for your review

I have some comments and suggestions. See attachment. No need to circle back around to me. I defer to your judgment.

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**Subject:** Allegation #124 --draft desk statement for your review

Dear All,

Attached for your review is a draft desk statement for EPA's Response to the Sierra Club Letter to the OIG regarding climate change remarks made by Administrator Pruitt.

If possible, please provide any comments or suggestions by **COB Tuesday, July 25**, to me at [otto.martha@epa.gov](mailto:otto.martha@epa.gov).

Thank you, again, for participating in the Scientific Integrity Review Panel.

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**Subject:** FW: Allegation #124 -- last opportunity to comment on Letter and Report  
**Importance:** High

Dear All,

If possible, please provide any final comments on these two documents by **COB Monday, July 17**.

Thank you, again, for your help and for participating in the Panel.

Marti

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**Importance:** High

Dear All,

Thank you, again, for participating in the Scientific Integrity Panel on Sierra Club allegations regarding Administrator Pruitt's remarks about climate change and whether they violated the Scientific Integrity Policy.

Attached are the last drafts of the Scientific Integrity Review Panel's report and the Agency's response to Sierra Club. This is your last chance to suggest any changes. We are about to send these to Bob Kavlock.

Thank you for your help with this.

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